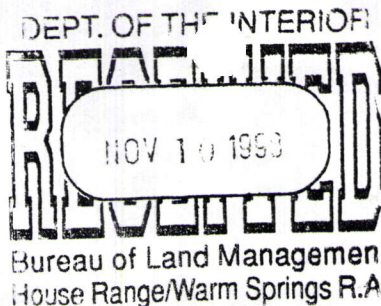


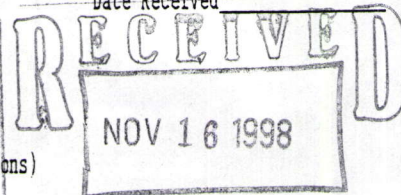
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NOTICE
OR

PLAN OF OPERATIONS

(For Operations Proposed Under the 43 CFR 3809 Regulations)

(For BLM use) Serial No. UTU-072892
Date Received

Instructions to Claimant/Operator: Circle "Notice" (above) if proposed mining activity within the project area will disturb a total of five (5) acres or less during the calendar year. Circle "Plan of Operations" if disturbance will exceed five (5) acres during the calendar year or if operations are within one of the specially designated areas described in 43 CFR 3809.1-4(b). Complete the form in as much detail as possible. Additional sheets may be used if necessary. Use maps or sketches where appropriate (maps or sketches are required for submitted plans of operations and are recommended for submitted notices). A review of the 43 CFR 3809 regulations should be conducted prior to completion of this form and submission to the appropriate BLM office.

Operator Information:

Claimant for
Wheeler #1 → Shayne Crapo
Same for
Wheeler #2 →

Name

Address

Telephone

665 E. Bristlecone Ln.
Delta, UT 84624

(435) 864-3144

Claimant Information (If different than operator):

Claimant for
Wheeler #2 → Loy Crapo

Name

Address

Telephone

3506 300S
P.O. Box 1113
Delta, UT 84624

(435) 864-2402

Claim Information (Claim names, circle claim types (Lode, Placer Mill Site, Tunnel), UMC Serial Number. List only the claims where the disturbance is proposed):

Wheeler #1 UMC 365264

Wheeler #2 UMC 365265

Location of Proposed Activity (i.e. County, Township, Range, Section and Quarter section):

Wheeler #1 Millard County T. 17S. R. 13W. Sec. 1 N.W. 1/4
Wheeler #2 " " " " " S.W. 1/4

Describe Pre-Existing Disturbances and Structures or Indicate on Maps or Sketches (Mine and Mill Facilities, Workings, Tailings, Dump Areas, etc...). It may be to your advantage to document existing disturbance with photographs):

The main existing disturbance is on Wheeler #2. Approx. 3/4 of an acre is disturbed. See map for location.

Describe Access Routes (Existing and proposed, for proposed road construction specify length and width in feet):

Access roads are already in existence. No improvements will be made at this time.

Proposed Operations: Describe the entire proposed operation, including the type of material being removed and all surface disturbing activities (road construction, drilling, trenching, backhoe and bulldozer exploration, mining, waste disposal, etc.). List all mechanized earth moving equipment to be used during the operation and state if any explosives are to be utilized. Describe and furnish a map or sketch, when applicable, showing existing surface disturbances, structures, facilities, etc., and the location and size of areas where surface disturbance are proposed, including existing and/or proposed routes of access. Calculate the total acreage proposed for disturbance (1 AC. = 43,560 sq. ft.).

At this time, only small test holes will be dug to sample shale content. Eventually, shale will be mined, removed, and crushed for concrete additive. Until the amount of usable shale is determined, exact acreage to be eventually disturbed is unknown.

An excavator will be used for test holes and any continued operation. Explosives, at times, will be used. Approx. location of test holes are shown on map included.

Date Operations are Proposed to Commence as Outlined in this Submittal - (Month, Day, Year):

12/7/98

Less than 1/4 acre will be disturbed for test holes.

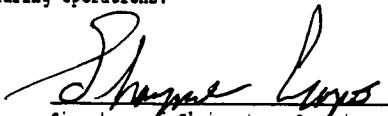
Proposed Completion Date - (Month, Day, Year):

Unknown

Proposed Reclamation: Describe the proposed reclamation procedures and other measures to be taken to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation of the lands, including measures to be taken if a period of non-operation is anticipated. When reclamation has been completed, the Authorized Officer of the BLM shall be notified so that an inspection of the area can be made.

Top soil will be stock piled. When mining is complete area will be recontoured, top soil replaced, and area reseeded.

I hereby declare that I, or persons I have authorized to do so, will complete all necessary reclamation of areas disturbed during the course of my operations to the standards described in 43 CFR 3809.1-3(d) and that reasonable measure will be taken to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation of the federal lands during operations.


Signature of Claimant or Operator

11/7/98
Date

Notice to Claimants/Operators:

1. A notice submitted in relation to the 43 CFR 3809 regulations does not require approval from the BLM. However, notification of such activities shall be made at least 15 days before commencing operations. Approval of a submitted plan of operations is required from the BLM prior to commencing operations. The BLM will promptly acknowledge receipt of a plan and will notify the claimant/operator of the status of the plan within 30 days of receipt.
2. Approval of a plan of operations does not constitute certification of ownership to any person named as claimant/operator herein, nor does approval constitute recognition of the validity of any mining claims named herein.
3. Information and data submitted and specifically identified by the operator as containing trade secrets of confidential or privileged commercial or financial information should be attached to a separate page and cited in the text of the notice or plan of operations. This information will be filed separately by the BLM and will not be available for public inspection.
4. Failure of an operator to file a notice under 3809.1 - 3 or a plan of operations under 3809.1 - 4 will be subject to the operator, at the discretion of the authorized office, to being served a notice of non-compliance or enjoined from the continuation of such

33621 NW
(WHIRLWIND VALLEY NW)

